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Claim 12. (Currently Amended) The method ~~according to~~ of claim 1, characterized ~~in that~~ wherein during the hot-rolling step in the ~~ferrite~~ ferritic region, at least one deformation pass is carried out with the use of lubricant.

Claim 13. (Currently Amended) The method ~~according to~~ of claim 12, characterized ~~in that~~ wherein all deformation passes taking place in the ferritic region are carried out with roll lubrication.

Claim 14. (Currently Amended) The method ~~according to~~ of claim 1, characterized ~~in that~~ after cooling further comprising annealing the hot strip after the coiling step is annealed at an annealing temperature of at least 740 °C.

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Claim 15. (Currently Amended) The method ~~according to~~ of claim 14, characterized ~~in that~~ further comprising annealing the coiled hot strip ~~is carried out~~ in a batch-type annealing furnace.

Claim 16. (Currently Amended) The method ~~according to~~ of claim 14, characterized ~~in that~~ wherein the annealing step is carried out in a continuous furnace.

Claim 17. (Currently Amended) The method ~~according to~~ of claim 1, characterized ~~in that~~ wherein the thickness of the coiled hot ~~coil~~ strip is ≤ 1.5 mm.